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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action dated February 20, 2008, Applicant hereby amends the claims and/or otherwise responds as follows. It is believed that there is no fee associated with the filing and consideration of this amendment, however, **should the Commissioner decide that any fee or fee deficiency is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any and all fees incurred as a result of entering this amendment and response to deposit account number 03-0172 item no. 11694.04384.**

Please amend the application as follows.